

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

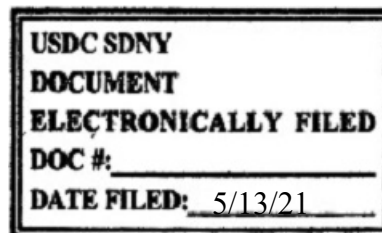
HAMIDEH SEDGHI,

Plaintiff,

-against-

SLADE INDUSTRIES, INC., et al.

Defendants.



20-CV-4592 (BCM)

ORDER

BARBARA MOSES, United States Magistrate Judge.

The parties have reported to the Court that non-party witness Joe Ryan, a former employee of defendant Slade Industries, Inc., was duly served with a deposition subpoena but failed to appear at the designated time and place. In an effort to avoid enforcement proceedings, including but not limited to a motion to hold the witness in contempt pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(g),¹ plaintiff's counsel has agreed that no such proceedings will be initiated if, within one week after the date of this Order, the witness re-establishes contact with counsel for the parties herein and appears for deposition (or makes arrangements to appear) on a mutually convenient date within the current pretrial schedule. Mr. Ryan may contact either of the following:

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Plaintiff shall serve a copy of this Order on Mr. Ryan at his last known address and shall file proof of such service on the docket. The parties shall file a status letter one week from today's date to advise the Court as to whether enforcement proceedings will be necessary.

Dated: New York, New York
May 13, 2021

SO ORDERED.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Barbara Moses".

BARBARA MOSES
United States Magistrate Judge

¹ Rule 45(g) states, "The court for the district where compliance is required . . . may hold in contempt a person who, having been served, failed without adequate excuse to obey the subpoena or an order related to it."